

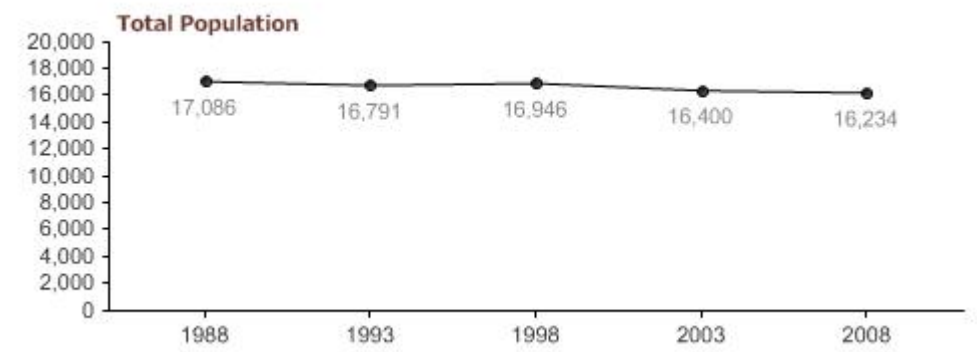
# Vermillion County, IN Highlights

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## Population

A region's economy thrives or dives because of the people who choose to live there. That choice may occur by being born there and desiring to stay, or a more deliberate one of choosing to relocate from somewhere else. Monitoring change in the size and movement of population is an important barometer of well-being. Some of us monitor these changes as an insect might gauge the shifting sands while most don't pay much attention. But the barometer is a good metaphor for population change since it can presage more notable events, such as lackluster business attraction due to lack of workers.

Population Over Time					
	1988	1993	1998	2003	2008
Total Population	17,086	16,791	16,946	16,400	16,234
Change Since 1988		-295	-140	-686	-852
Pct. Change Since 1988		-1.7%	-0.8%	-4.0%	-5.0%



Source: US Census Bureau

## Components of Population Change 2007 to 2008

	Number
Net Domestic Migration	-125
International Migration	2
Natural Increase (births minus deaths)	-19
Births	211
Deaths	230

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### Population Estimates by Age in 2007

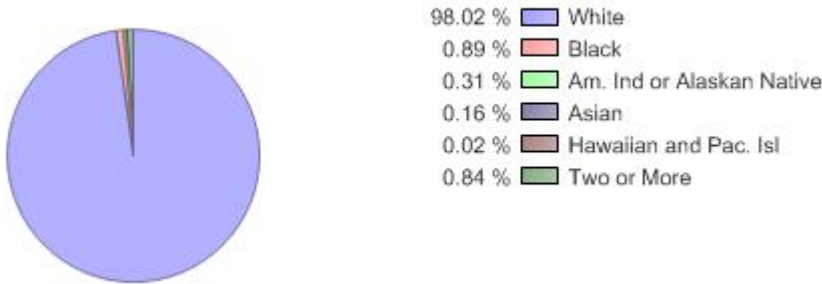
	Number	Pct. Dist
Preschool	1,017	6.2%
School Age	2,689	16.4%
College Age	1,292	7.9%
Young Adult	4,239	25.9%
Older Adult	4,571	27.9%
Older (65 plus)	2,609	15.9%

Source: US Census Bureau

### Population Estimates by Race and Hispanic Origin in 2007

	Number	Pct. Dist
American Ind. or Alaskan Native Alone	51	0.3%
Asian Alone	26	0.2%
Black Alone	146	0.9%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone	3	0.0%
White Alone	16,054	98.0%
Two or More Race Groups	137	0.8%

Population by Race



### Hispanic or Latino

Non-Hispanic or Latino	16,243	99.2%
Hispanic or Latino	174	1.1%

Source: US Census Bureau

### Households in 2000

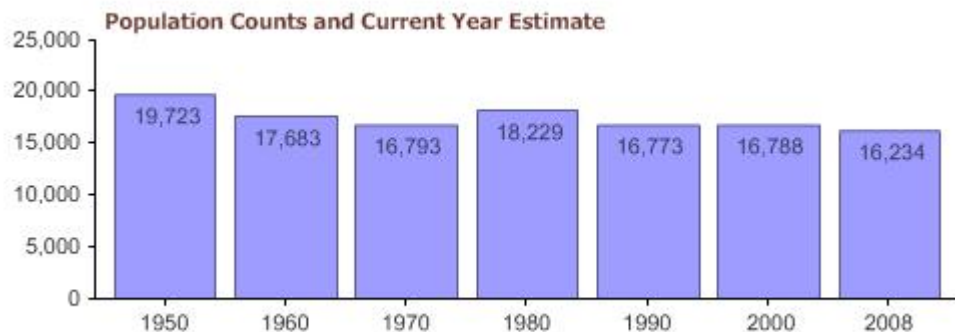
	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Households	6,762	100.0%
Family Households	4,715	69.7%
Married with Children	1,594	23.6%
Married without Children	2,280	33.7%
Single Parents	492	7.3%
Other	349	5.2%
Non-family Households	2,047	30.3%
Living Alone	1,799	26.6%
Average Household Size	2.48	
Average Family Household Size	3.56	

Source: US Census Bureau

### Population Counts by Decade and Current Year Estimate

	Population	Numerical	Pct. Chg.
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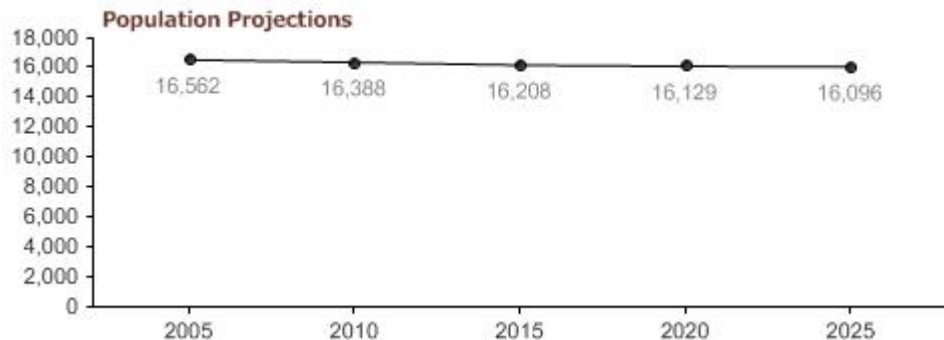
		Chg.	
1950	19,723	NA	NA
1960	17,683	-2,040	-10.3%
1970	16,793	-890	-5.0%
1980	18,229	1,436	8.6%
1990	16,773	-1,456	-8.0%
April 2000	16,788	15	0.1%
2008	16,234	-554	-3.3%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

## Population Projections

	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
<b>Population Projections</b>	16,562	16,388	16,208	16,129	16,096
<b>Change Since 2005</b>		-174	-354	-433	-466
<b>Pct. Change Since 2005</b>		-1.1%	-2.1%	-2.6%	-2.8%



Source: Indiana Business Research Center